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In re the Application of:

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Sir:

Responsive to the August 7, 2002, Office Action, having a November 7, 2002 due date, reconsideration is respectfully requested based on the following amendments and remarks.

A Petition for a one-month extension of time until December 7, 2002 and the \$110.00 large entity fee are included herewith.

I. <u>REMARKS</u>

A. <u>Introduction</u>

In the Final Office Action dated August 7, 2002, pending claims 1-8 were rejected based on prior art.

In this Response, reconsideration is requested based on the following remarks.

B. Summary of the Invention

The following summary is presented to assist the Examiner in examining the subject application, but is not intended to limit the claims to the summary presented.

In order to significantly reduce the dielectric constant of a PBO, the present invention